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Whereas, The Kentuckiana Business Hall of Fame is an annual induction ceremony honoring outstanding business leaders and entrepreneurs who, through hard work, make significant contributions to the quality of life in their region;

Whereas, President, CEO, and Treasurer of Geo. Pfau's and Sons Co., Norman E "Ned" Pfau, will be honored as an outstanding business leader to the Kentuckiana's Business Hall of Fame;

Whereas, Geo. Pfau's and Sons Co. is a global processor and manufacturer of specialty fats and oils headquarted in Jeffersonville, Indiana since 1965;

Whereas, Geo. Pfau's and Sons was started by Ned Pfau's great-grandfather in 1869, continued to run under the supervision of the late President Ned Pfau Senior, and then to Norman Pfau, a 22 year old graduate of Indiana University;

Whereas, A newfound business owner at the age of 22, Norman Pfau simultaneously handled the loss of his father, a wife who was expecting their first child, and a company



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that had a tremendous amount of debt;

Whereas, After a few years and plenty of hard work, Pfau transformed the company and Geo. Pfau's and Sons grew from a regional processor and manufacturer to a worldwide industry leader;

Whereas, The Jeffersonville manufacturing facility grew from one acre in 1944 to over 150 acres presently. The company now has warehouses in California, Missouri, Michigan, Illinois, Mexico, and Canada;

Whereas, Ned Pfau has previously served on the Audit Committee of the Indiana University Foundation and currently serves on the Audit Committee of Ivy Tech Community College. He serves as the Vice President of the River Ridge Development Authority; and

Whereas, With drive and dedication, Ned Pfau was able to turn a small family owned business with a large amount of debt into a global phenomenon and became one of the greatest success stories in southern Indiana: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:

- SECTION 1. The Indiana General Assembly congratulates Norman E. "Ned" Pfau on his induction into the Kentuckiana Business Hall of Fame.
  - SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Norman "Ned" Pfau.



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